



City of Gaithersburg Press Release

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Go on a Scavenger Hunt Tree Walk at Morris Park During Green Month

Gaithersburg, MD (April 13, 2021) Green Month in Gaithersburg is in full swing, and the City invites you to celebrate by taking part in a variety of virtual and socially distanced in-person [activities](#) to help protect and preserve our environment. During the month of April, take a self-guided tour of all of the marked trees in Morris Park. Use your phone to click on the QR code posted on select trees to follow a [story map](#) that will feature more information about the tree, fun facts about the species, its growth habits, and more.

The scavenger hunt tree walk features sugar maple, cottonwood, redbud, sycamore, black cherry, ironwood, Southern Red Oak, mulberry, persimmon, and white pine trees. Explore locations and read more about each species with the [story map here](#).

Explore this year's [Green Month offerings](#), including a "No Straw Pledge," park clean-ups, a screening of the film "Wasted! The Story of Food Waste," and discussions about the Potomac watershed, pesticide free lawn care, and much more.

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